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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
TADASHI HAYASHI) Examiner: Unassigned
Application No.: 10/815,652) Group Art Unit: Unassigned
Filed: April 2, 2004)
For: TARGET OBJECT MODIFICATION) June 4, 2004
APPARATUS AND CONTROL)
METHOD)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the following U.S. Applications:

<u>INVENTOR(S)</u>	<u>APPLICATION NO.</u>	<u>FILING DATE</u>
Ichiro Okumura, et al.	10/802,819	March 18, 2004
Ichiro Okumura, et al.	10/799,595	March 15, 2004
Tadashi Hayashi	10/812,878	March 31, 2004

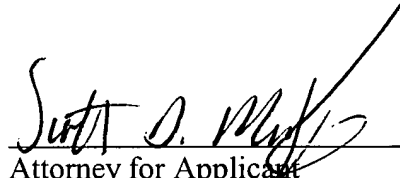
Copies of the above-identified applications are enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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